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In re Application of:

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[X] Amendment and Request for Reconsideration

[X] Request for Extension of Time Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) (in duplicate)

[X] An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

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[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-3038. This sheet is submitted in triplicate.

[x] Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

[x] Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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Sir:

I. AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

This amendment is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed March 31, 1998. Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered into the abovecaptioned application:

In the Specification

On page 37, at line 23, delete "units" (both occurrences) and insert therefor --words--.

On page 37, at line 24, delete "words" and insert therefor --units--.

On page 37, at line 25, delete "words" and insert therefor --units--.

The above amendments to the specification are being made to correct typographical errors and to make the sentence consistent with the disclosure. See, Applicants' specification at page 14, line 26 through page 15, line 6. No new matter is added by these amendments.